READY FOR THE COACHING PARADE.

SOME OF THE PEOPLE WHO WILL MAKE PART OF THE SPECTACLE TO-DAY.

The annual parade of the Coaching Club will take place at 11 o'clock this morning. The meet will be in Central Park, in the drive leading from the Eighth-ave, entrance to the Mall. The scene will doubtless be a brilliant one and interesting for judges of horseflesh. It is certain that the ex-hibition of spring toilets will be a point of interest with most of the feminine spectators, while the smart footmen will have their fair share of atten-

Probably ten coaches will be in line, with just a possibility that the number may be increased by two or three. The route will be up the West Drive to the extreme end of the Park, where the review by Colonel William Jay, the president of the Coaching Club, will take place, and back by the East Drive to the starting point, where the parade will be dismissed.

Colonel Jay will, of course, lead, as president of the club, and, with Mrs. Jay, will have a party on his coach, which will be drawn by four bays.

Frederic Bronson, the vice-president of the club, will make a fine show. His blue coach with red running gear, is one of the smartest of the turnouts. With his bay leaders will be harnessed brown wheelers. Mrs. Bronson will be on the box seat, and with the party will be Miss Bronson, Miss Gertrude Vanderbilt, Cornelius Vanderbilt, ir., and Philip Lydig.

Dr. W. Seward Webb will hold the ribbons over tour bays. Mrs. Webb will accompany her husband, and with them will be Mrs. Burke-Roche, Miss Edith Hall, H. Maitland Kersey and Lorillard Ronalds.

Prescott Lawrence, who will drive chestnut and gray leaders and roan and brown wheelers before his coach, which has a body of primrose, with canary undercarriage, will have beside him on the

and Mrs. James M. Waterbury, Miss Bird and Philip Allen.

Resinald W. Rives, the secretary of the club, whose wife is in Europe, will have a party of men on his coach, Brockholst Cutting, Hamilton W. Cary, Richard and Henry F. Eldredge. Perry Belmont will also have a large party of men on his coach, August Belmont, who will drive his four white-faced bays before his maroon and claret colored coach, will have with him Mrs. Belmont and a party of young people. The other coaches in the line will be driven by Charles F. Havemeyer. Neilson Brown and Colonel Edward Devaux Morrell, of Philadelphia. After the parade, the coaches will go through Seventy-secondst, and the Riverside Drive to Claremont, where an elaborate lumcheon will be arrived and Lander's Orchestra will play. The return to town will be entirely informal.

GENERAL HARRISON'S DAY.

HE RECEIVES A NUMBER OF CALLERS AND RE-VIEWS THE CHILDRENS' PARADE

IN BROOKLYN. Ex-President Harrison yesterday received an invitation to address an open-air religious meeting at Ocean Grove next Sunday. The invitation was given to him by a committee of ministers who called upon him early yesterday morning. The General received them cordially, and thanked them for the invitation, but said that he could not give a

definite answer. He promised to let them know to-Owing to the parade of the Sunday-school children in Brooklyn yesterday, ex-President Harrison decided not to sit for his picture during the fore-noon. The work of getting the ex-President's likeess transferred to canvas is going on slowly, and it is said that perhaps ten days will elapse before Eastman Johnson succeeds in getting a satisfactory result. General Harrison said yesterday that he would not delay his departure after his business with Mr. Johnson was completed. He added that

he did not know when that would be, and that all epended upon the artist. General Samuel Thomas, a member of the Committee of Seventy, was one of General Harrison's earliest callers yesterday. After his talk with the ex-President, General Thomas said: "My visit had olitical interest attached to it. It was a social call. It is too early to discuss candidates in 1896. It is a year before the National Convention meets, and a great many changes may take place between now and then. We have many splendid men in the party, and when it comes to making a selection plenty of god material will be at hand to choose It's an open fight, and may the best men

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, of Rhode Island, wa at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday, and called upon General Harrison. He said that his visit was al one. Like General Thomas, Senator Aldrich thinks that it is too soon to make predic

per Teall also called at the hotel, b General Harrison was not in. Mr. Teall talked about the visit his man, Thomas Ronan, paid to the

General Harrison was not in. Mr. Teali talked about the visit his man, Thomas Ronan, paid to the ex-President on Thursday. He sent Ronan down to present to General Harrison a can of tea such as Mr. Teall is booming. Ronan made a vivid impression on Mr. Harrison, and as he bid him goodby he nonchalantly requested the ex-President to remember him to "all those Hoosiers out there."
George E. Green, president of the Republican George E. Green, president of the Republican George E. Green, president of the Republican State League, was at the hotel again yesterday, but did not see General Harrison. Mr. Green was quite annoyed over the reports that his interview with Mr. Harrison on Thursday had political significance, and that he would exert his influence to inficance, and that he would exert his influence to refer from a prominent member of the league in this eving Republican clubs over the country in line swing Republican clubs over

MRS. LEWIS DIED FROM HER INJURIES. Mrs. Lewis, the mother of Alfred D. Lewis, secretary of the Westminster Kennel Club, who was thrown from her carriage in a runaway accident in

A UNIVERSITY OLUB NIGHT.

At the University Club last evening W. Gordon McCabe, of Virginia, related to a large audience of embers his "Personal Recollections of Lord Ten-son," including many characteristic anecdotes the Laureate which have never been published. of the Laureate which have never been published.
Mr. McCabe's humor, fine literary sense and remarkable felicity of speech were delightfully manifested last evening, as they always are in congenial
company, and the University "club night" was
thoroughly enjoyable.

BLACK AMERICA OPENS TO-DAY.

Nate Salsbury's unique and original outdoor exhibition at Ambrose Park, South Brooklyn, called "Black America," opens to-day. Performances will given this afternoon and evening at 3 and o'clock, wet or dry weather. Many well-known citizens of this and neighboring cities, including the Mayor of Brooklyn, are expected to be present. The best way to reach the park is by the Thirty-ninth-st. ferry, at Whitehall-st.

W. BAYARD CUTTINGS GOLF GROUNDS. Golf grounds a mile and a half long are being laid out at the country seat of W. Bayard Cutting, east of East Islip, L. I. Three large wells are being dug to conduct water through the grounds for sprinkling purposes, and 12,000 feet of pipe have been laid.

GOVERNOR MORTON AT ELLERSLIE. Albany, May 24.-Governor Morton went up to Sunday.

THE BOSS DOES SOME BLUFFING.

From The Buffalo Commercial.

"As far as I am concerned," says Platt, in an interview, "the press of the State sustains me, except in the cities of New-York, Brooklyn and Buffalo. My friends, I believe, will control the next State Convention." The Boss also, with his usual cool impudence, charges all Republicans who do not obey his orders with "breaking faith with faith in human nature, when he has been so cruelly deceived by every public official who has refused to put all public patronage at the Boss' adisposal—Garfield, Harrison, Morton, Reid and Strong have all fled to Mr. Platt. About the only persons he has a good word for are the members of the New-York police force. "I admit the irregularities which were brought out by investigation," he says, "but they do not show worse conditions

REVIEWED BY HARRISON, AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL POLITICAL ODDS AND ENDS.

ALMOST 80,000 SUNDAY-SCHOOL CHILDREN

MARCH IN BROOKLYN.

LARGE DIVISIONS PASS BEFORE THE EX-PRESI-DENT AND OTHER PROMINENT GUESTS-SHORT ADDRESS BY THE GENERAL

Almost eighty thousand Sunday-school children, dressed in summer finery and carrying banners of blue and white and gold, marched and counter-marched in divisions, brigades and detachments to inspiring music in Brooklyn yesterday. They had the honor-or a great part of them-of being reviewed by General Harrison, Prince Francis Joseph of Battenberg and Sir Bruce Burnside, of England. It was Anniversary Day, an occasion peculiar to Brooklyn itself, and all the attending circumstances contributed to make the day notable and the parade a tremendous success.

There were twelve divisions in the parade representing 186 schools and 79,800 pupils, as follows: Hancock division, Captain William Kerby, marshal, 8,000; Clinton division, Charles H. Taft, marshal, about 8,000; Bushwick-ave. division, Frederick H. Mix marshal, 14,000; Prospect Park division, Malcom B. Dutcher marshal, 13,000; Tompkins-ave. division, George F. Brown marshal, 5,500; Bedford division, Albert E. Andrews marshal, 4600; Ocean Hill division, Lewis Vreeland marshal, 1,400; Heights division, Dwight Studwell marshal, 8,500; Arlington division, A CENTRAL AMERICAN UNION.

PLANS FOR A FEDERAL GOVERNMENT SAID TO BE WELL UNDER WAY.

Washington, May 24.-According to advices re ceived here, a Central American Union, with a chief executive and a National Congress, each of the five republics retaining their separate autonomy—a union, in short, medelled on that of the United States, which has been the dream of the advanced Central American statesmen for the last half-century-seems now to be in a fair way of realization The new impulse given to the movement dates

from the recent occupation by the British forces of Corinto. This satisfied the Central Americans that their only safety against foreign aggression lay in an alliance of all the republics-an alliance which will make necessary the obliteration of all local jealousies and the formation of a compact union for their greater interests and protection.

The educated classes in Central America have long favored such a union, but the prejudices of the masses have been difficult to overcome, and it is this element which has proved a stumbling block in the way of its success. Late reports from Central America show, however, that all classes of citizens are now beginning to appreciate the necessity of a Federal Union, and the campaign of education that is now in active progress, it is believed, will be followed by gratifying results. It may be, as a distinguished Central American expressed it to-day, several years before such a union is formed, and it may come in a less time. But that it will come, he said, he had not the slightest doubt.

MEXICO'S TAX ON MINING. THE LAW TO BE MODIFIED SO AS TO DISTRIBUTE THE EURDEN.

Washington, May 24.—The Mexican minister, Senor Charles P. Davis marshal, 2,800; Stuyvesant divi- Romero, referring to the published statement that sion John F. Hill marshal, 7,600; Carroll Park the Mexican Government has decreed an export



THE CHILDREN PASSING THE REVIEWING STAND.

The different divisions paraded in parts of the city where it was most convenient, and they were watched by other children from the sidewalks in almost equal numbers.

A chief feature of the celebration, as already announced, was the presence of ex-President Harrison and Prince Francis Joseph of Battenberg, who reviewed the Prospect Park division of the parade at Long Meadow in the park, and afterward the Clinton division in Clinton-ave., between DeKalbave. and Fulton-st.

Silas M. Giddings, president of the Sundayschool Union, and Alfred Tilly, Grand Marshal of the day, called for General Harrison at the Fifth Avenue Hotel at about 1:15 in the afternoon. Several hundred people were on hand to see him start for Brooklyn. The party drove to the Everett House, at Fourth-ave, and Seventeenth-st., and

Another open carriage which followed contained Sir Bruce Burnside, commissioner of the British Government to New-Zealand; Sir Bruce's son, Colonel Burnside, and Colonel F. T. Townsend, of

Proceeding to the Bridge, the party was joined by another carriage containing Assistant Chief Marshal Charles B. Barnes, Leo Aigeltinger and William M. Roberts. The Brooklyn City Hall was the next stopping place, and there Grand Marshal Tilly gave up his seat to Mayor Schleren. The procession started for the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church, and the crowds which lined Fulton-st. and Lafayette-ave, greeted General Harrison with cheers and the waving of flags.

At the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church Gereral Harrison and the other guests of honor occupied seats on the platform. H. W. Harkness, occupied seats on the platform. If. W. Harkness, chairman of the Board of Assessors, introduced General Harrison, and it was several minutes before the cheering and waving of flags made it possible for him to be heard. He spoke briefly, saying that it afforded him great pleasure to be present with the children of Brooklyn to celebrate Anniversary Day. He had heard of the magnitude of the parade before, but never realized what it was until he saw it. He commended the children for their interest in Sunday-school work, and said that it could not help making them better men and women.

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Prince Francis Joseph followed, and was also cordially received. He thanked the audience for their kindness, complimented the "lovely young ladies" and wished them all prosperity and happiness. Sir Bruce Burnside was introduced, and spoke briefly, expressing his pleasure at the reception accorded him.

After brief services in the church the party drove to Prospect Park, where a reviewing-

After brief services in the church the party drove to Prospect Park, where a reviewing-stand had been erected in Long Meadow. There were fully 20,000 people at the park. The stand was beautifully decorated, and among others on it, besides the ex-President's party and Mayor Schieren, were Mrs. McKee, General Harrison's daughter, and her two childin; William Berri, Park Commissioner Squier and a number of invited guests. About 13,000 children, in two columns, which went in opposite directions, passed in front of the reviewing-stand. Conterno's Ninth Regiment Band played the "Star-Spangled Banner," "Watch on the Rhine" and "God Save the Queen." The faces of Prince Francis Joseph and Sir Bruce Burnside beamed with pleasure when they heard their National alirs.

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Shortly after 4 o'clock General Harrison and his friends left the park and went to the grandhis friends left the park and went to the grandstand in Clinton-ave., where they briefly reviewed the Clinton division. Then General Harrison and his party accepted the invitation of
William Berri, of "The Standard Union," to take
luncheon at the Oxford Club. They reached the
club at about 4:45. General Harrison, Mrs. McKee and the children stayed a half-hour longer
at the club than did the Prince and Sir Bruce.
At the luncheon were Mayor Schleren, General
W. C. Wallace, St. Clair McKelway, Murat
Halstead, General Stewart L. Woodford, James
A. S. Perry, H. F. Gunnison and a number of the
division marshals in charge of the parade. Mrs.
William Berri and Mrs. W. C. Wallace made
things pleasant for Mrs. McKee and her children.
General Harrison left the club before 6 o'clock
to go back to New-York.

Among the passengers on the steamer Campania, which arrived at Quarantine last evening from which arrived at Quarantine last evening from Liverpool and Queenstown, are the Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, the Hon. Cecil Baring, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Chubb, R. M. Clarke, R. Dun Douglas, Franklin MacVeagh, Captain E. H. Sanford, and General and Mrs. Charles A. Whittier.

barytone; Miss Mabel Hurd, reader, and Ida Letson-Morgan, accompanist. A pleasant feature of the programme was Victor Doubler's song, "A Debutante's Bouquet," which was sung by Miss Martha Briggs, A long and interesting programme was given.

ex-Congressman John M. Wiley, of Buffalo, MUR-RAY HILL—Professor William G. Summer, of Yale University, NORMANDIE—Senator David B. Hill, of Albany, and Augustine Heard, formerly U. S. Minister to Corea. PARK AVENUE—Ex-Congressman John A. Quackenbush, of Stillwater, N. Y.

division, J. W. Mackey, marshal, 3,000; Flatbush ! duty discriminating against the American capital division, Lewis T. Titus marshal, 200; South invested in Mexican mining enterprises, said that he Brooklyn division, H. L. Spence marshal, 1,500. was not aware that such a bill had been approved as yet by the Mexican Congress; but that a bill had been presented by the Executive, which, he be-lieved, would be approved. Senor Romero further stated that the real object of the pending bill was to distribute on the whole mining industry of Mexico the very high duty now levied on the minting of silver. The present minting duty is 44 per cent. In the bill presented by the Executive the present In the bill presented by the Executive the present minting duty is reduced to 2 per cent and the present stamp tax on silver is fixed at 3 per cent on the silver and gold extracted from the mines, the payment of that duty to take place at the custom house through which it is exported as the custom house through which it is exported as the easiest way to collect it. But that fact, he said, did not make it really an export duty. The real object of the new hill was to distribute equally between all the silver producers of Mexico the present taxes, which now lay only upon certain classes of interesting measure against a mercican contain the silver producers.

> COLOMBIA AND THE MOSQUITO COAST. Washington, May 24.-The report from Colon that General Julio Rengifo, the Chargé d'Affaires of Colombia, who returned to his native country in January last to assist in suppressing the recent In January last to assist in suppressing the recent rebeilion, and who arrived in Washington to-day, had brought with him a voluminous correspondence from Rogota setting forth at great length Colombia's claim to the Mosquito Coast, General Rengifo said to-day that the Government had sont him a number of letters which came to the United States on the steamer which brought him to New York yesterday, but which he had not read, and which he might not have an opportunity of reading for several days. which he might not have an opportunity of reading for several days.
> He says a boundary dispute has existed between Colombia and Costa Rica for many years which involves a principle analogous to that in the Mosquita Cosst case. Colombia desires first a settlement of the Costa Rican dispute, and when this shall have been reached a precedent will be ostablished with reference to her claim to the Mosquito Cosst.

> Washington, May 24 (Special).—The Treasury statement to-day again showed an excess of receipts over expenditures, although the former fell below the daily average for the fiscal year to date. below the daily average for the fiscal year to date. The receipts from customs amounted to \$44,163 and from internal taxes to \$461,012. The total, including receipts from miscellaneous sources, which amounted to \$105,662, was \$1,008,807, while the total expenditures amounted to \$873,906, leaving a balance of \$134,951 on the right side of the ledger. To reduce the excess of expenditures for the Erst eleven months of the fiscal year to \$49,000,000, the daily average excess of receipts over expenditures for the renaining days of May must amount to \$220,000, and Treasury officials seem to be confident that this will happen. It is not very difficult to pinch expenditures during the last week of any month.

NEW CONSUL AT ZANZIBAR.

Washington, May 24.-The President to-day ap pointed R. Dorsey Mohun, of the District of Colum-bia, to be United States Consul at Zanzibar. Mr. bia, to be United States Consul at Zanzioar. Mohun is the present incumbent of the office of commercial agent at Boma, Congo Free State, which will cease to exist by provision of Congress on July 1 next. He is now home on leave, and has been engaged in writing articles descriptive of his experiences as chief of artillery in the expedition sent out by the Congo authorities to suppress the Arab slave trade.

THE AEOLIAN PIPE ORGAN.

The Mendelssohn Glee Club Hall was crowded last night with people gathered to hear the first public exhibition of the Acollan pipe organ. The Acolian attachment was made with the organ the hall, and the recital proved that it was capable of producing remarkable effects. The following programme was given: Overture, "William Tell," Rossini; "Allee" (romance), Ascher; overture, "Mid-Rossini; "Allee" (romance), Ascher; overture, "Mid-summer's Night's Dream, Mendelssohn; intermezzo, "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mascagni; overture, "Tann-häuser," Wagner; violin solo, Rafael Diaz Albertini, a "Symphonie Espagnole Andante," E. Lalo, and b "Concerto Militaire Preghera," A. Bazzini; over-ture, "Jolly Robbers," Suppé; funeral march, "Mar-ionette," Gounod; overture, "Semiramide," Rossini; symphonic poem, "La Rouet d'Omphale," Saint-Saëns, and overture, "Light Cavalry," Suppé.

The many friends of Mrs. S. Van Rensselaer rapidly recovering from her injury sustained by a fall from her bicycle, and will be able to be out in a few days. Mrs. Cruger's ankle was sprained in her fail, but the sprain is a slight one, and she will only have to abandon her wheel for a week or so.

PROMINENT ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS. BREVOORT-The Hon. William Lowther, of THE OGDEN MUSICAL CLUB CONCERT.

A large audience attended the fourth concert of the Ogden Musical Club, given last night at Chickering Hail, under the direction of Mine. Ogden Crane. The club was assisted by Miss Julie Petersen, flutist; George Washbourne Morgan. barytone; Miss Mabel Hurd, reader, and Ida Letters of the Currency of A YARN ABOUT WHITNEY.

SAID TO HAVE BEEN AGREED UPON ALL AROUND AS THE NEXT DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE -POOHPOOHED GENERALLY.

A political forecast making William C. Whitney the candidate of the Democratic party for President in 1896 was put forth yesterday. It may have been intended merely to assist in entertaining the convention of Democratic editors in session here this week, but it arranged a comprehensive pro-Hill, William R. Grace, Richard Croker and other representatives of Democratic organizations in this State were to take part. Mr. Whitney, according to the plan, was to have the devoted and unqualified support of the Hill-Murphy State machines the Tammany Hall organization, the Grace De-mocracy and of President Cleveland, Secretary D. S. Lamont and all the cuckoos of the State of New-York and many other States.

This combination was naturally expected to take the next Democratic National Convention by storm. Mr. Whitney, nominated and elected President, would ask Senator Hill to take his pick of the portfolios in the Executive Department of the Govern-ment, and the vacancy in the United States Senate caused by Mr. Hill's acceptance of a place in the Cabinet would then be conferred upon ex-Mayor Grace, provided a Democratic Legislature should be a part of the Whitney victory.

If any disposition was shown by the Cleveland following to frown on this arrangement the kickers were to have recalled to their memories the spien-did services of Mr. Whitney at the Democratic Na tional Convention which nominated Mr. Cleveland in the face of the defiant opposition of the New-York machine, and under the soothing influences of Dan-lel S. Lamont, who would eventually become Governor of the State, possibly succeeding Mr. Morton, all disposition to revolt would be allayed. As none of the parties to this momentous scheme are in the city except Mr. Hill and Mr. Grace, the latter being ill at home, and some of them, notably Mr. Whitney and Mr. Croker, are abroad, the details must have

Naturally the Cleveland officeholders, who are generally satisfied with their present places and want to keep them, prefer to look forward to a continuance of the present Administration. They want no change in the head of the ticket. Secretary Lamont Democratic editorial dinner last night, but he tele-graphed from his country place at McGrawville yesterday afternoon that he could not be present. His real views on the plan were therefore not to be obtained. But James H. Eckels, Controller of the Currency, was seen and he lost no time in asserting his want of confidence in it. When told about it he laughed scornfully and said:

"That story reads well, but it reminds me a great deal of the story about the woman who had a setting of eggs and calculated upon the way she would ex-pend the money realized from the sale of her chickens. In the first place it is too soon to talk about the men who are prominently named as candidates,

whether in the Republican or Democratic party, are worrying the least bit over their position in the race. To talk of hatched up deals is indicrous. Mr. Whitneys is in Europe, I believe, and I do not think President Cleveland or any of the leaders of the party have consulted about the matter at all. I think, I can safely say, that there is not even a thread of truth in the whole yarn.

Speaking of the Sound Money Convention in Memphis, Mr. Eckels said: "I did not go down because there was so much that I had to look after in Washington. Secretary Carlisle made a remarkably able speech, and I think it has done much to controvert false impressions that have existed in the South. There is one thing in connection with his speech that I think ought to be commented upon. He made this point: The people who advocate the free coinage of silver say as a reason for their demand that there is not enough money in the country. They say that the currency is contracted and that the volume of money should be increased. Secretary Carlisle called the attention of these persons to the fact that, while the banking facilities of the country are constantly enlarging in a ratio, the different proxies used for the metallic currency are correspondingly swelling in volume. All we need is a basis or a standard of metallic money. Then what we want is confidence. When there is universal trust the different tenders for money come out in floods. When confidence is gone they also

MAYOR STRONG'S BIG TASK. TO SIFT OUT FOURTEEN CITY MAGISTRATES FROM

A MASS OF ABOUT 300 APPLICANTS. When Mayor Strong leaves the City Hall to-day he is to proceed to his home, No. 12 West Fifty-seventh-st., and devote whatever remains of the day, and also the evening, and perhaps part of ons of aspirants for the local criminal judiciary. provided for by the City Magistrates bill. More than a week ago the Mayor gave notice that this Colombia for a century has insisted upon her draw a salary of \$9,00 each. The remaining nine ownership of the strip. It was reported yesterday are to perform the usual functions of a city mag-

istrate, and will each receive \$7.000 a year.

Prominent among the candidates are ex-Judge
Frederick G. Gedney, whose record of twelve years
on the bench of this city is the test evidence of his
fitness for the place; David Mitchell, a lawyer of

Encouraged by its success in making inroads in Encouraged by its success in making inforces the XVth Assembly District, the Independent County Organization turned its attention to the XIIIth District, of which ex-Police Commissioner John C. Shechan is Tammany leader, at a meeting at the Utah Assembly Rooms, Eighth-ave, and Twenty-fifth-st., last night. Ex-Assistant District-Attorney Bernard J. Douras, former law partner of Come-issioner Sheehan, in the firm of Sheehan, Southworth & Douras, and a new recruit to the Independent County Organization in the XIIIth District, presided, and William Clear, the former chairman of the Independent

Clear, the former chairman of the Independent County Organization, was the secretary.

The meeting, which was largely attended, was made notable by the active participation of many former active Tammany workers in past elections in this district. Speeches, all of them eulogistic of Mayor Strong and of his administration, were delivered by Colonel Alexander S. Hacon, who commended the new Police Commissioners; Excise Commissioner Julius Harburger, Charles Steckler, William A. Ellis, Ernest Harvier, and Joseph Cavanagh. The Independent County men are investing the Tammany lines in every Assembly district of the City. The present is a part of the XIIIth Senate, one of the doubtful districts of the city.

OHIO REPUBLICANS WANT M'KINLEY. Springfield, Ohio, May 24.-The Republican Convention of the XIth Senate District was held here yesterday. The district is composed of Champaign, Madison and Lanark counties. The resolutions declare for McKinley for President, Foraker for United States Senator and General Kelfer for Gov-ernor. W. M. Jones was nominated for Senator.

_--THE LENOX REPUBLICAN CLUB. The opening of the Lenox Republican Club of

ing. Among those present were William Brookfield, General C. H. T. Collis, C. O. Johnson, A. R. Page, Congressman Low, Edward Lauterbach, George E. Green, Mayor of Binghamton; State Treasurer Colvin, Judge Allison and others.

CHARMED AWAY HIS BUSINESS SENSES. From The Lewiston Journal.

From The Lewiston Journal.

It has been said that a pretty and witty young woman is mistress of the world and can have everything she wants—and a soda-fountain operator in Portland believes it. As "The Express" tells the story, he was busy about the fountain the other evening when two visions of loveliness presented themselves before him. One of them demanded an orange phosphate. The other an equally delectable compound. As the clerk was busy preparing the beverages one of the visions turned to her companion and in the most dulcet tones said: "I wonder where the other handsome clerk is, that used to be here." There was a strong accent on the "other," and the clerk, who heard every word, straightened his shoulders, held his head up and beamed as he presented his fair customers with two of the most carefully prepared concections ever drawn from a soda factory. They gazed at him roguishly as they drank, with apparent admiration, and then tripped merrily out of the store, leaving the clerk in such a beating condition that it was at least ten minutes ere he realized that the two admiring damsels had unfortunately forgotten in leave behind them the price of their drinks.

OBITUARY.

- EX-SECRETARY HUGH M'CULLOCH. Washington, May 24.-Ex-Secretary Hugh Mc-Culloch died this morning at 2:40 o'clock, at his country home near this city. The cause of death was a general breaking down of the system due to extreme age aggravated by lung trouble. Mr. Mc-

on December 7, 1808. He entered Bowdoin College in 1824, but was compelled to give up his course in 1825, on account of illness. He afterward studied law, and in 1823 he went West, settling in Fort Wayne, Ind. He began his financial career in 1835 as cashier of the local branch of the State Bank of Indiana, and in 1856 he became president of the main institution, an office which he held until May, 1863, when he resigned to accept the post of Con-



coin appointed him Secretary of the Treasury to succeed William P. Fessenden, resigned. The Government was at this time in great financial straits, caused by the enormous expense of the Civil War. In six months from the time of Mr. McCulloch's In six months from the time of Mr. McCullocks appointment, the Government had paid the large amount due the 500,000 soldiers and sallors whose services were no longer necessary, and had discharged all its National obligations. The conversion of more than \$1,000,000,000 of short-time obligations into a funded debt then followed, and the National debt was put in satisfactory shape within two years. Mr. McCulloch advocated a steady reduction of the country's indebtedness, the retirement of the legal-tender notes, and a speedy resumption of specie payments. Congress sustained his views on the first point, and for a time those in regard to the legal-tender notes. He retired from office on March 4, 1869, and from 1871 to 1873 was engaged in banking in London. Upon the resignation of Secretary Gresham in 1884, he was again appointed Secretary of the Treasury by President Arthur. He was the only man, with the exception of Secretary Windom, who ever held this Cabinet position twice. Since his retirement at the close of the Arthur Administration, Mr. McCulloch had lived in Washington, spending his summers with his wife at their country home in Montgomery County, Maryland. He was the last survivor of the thirteen men who at different times were in Lincoln's Cabinet. appointment, the Government had paid the large

FRANK L. FISHER.

Frank L. Fisher, a well-known West Side realestate dealer, died at Colby Lake, near Saranac Lake, in the Adirondacks, at midnight on Thursday. Although comparatively a young man, Mr. Fisher was one of the most active and best-known real-estate operators on the West Side. He had done much to develop that part of the city, and had built up a large business. His office was at No. 486 Columbus-ave. He had been engaged in the real-estate business for nine years. He was born near Cincinnati, Ohio, and came to this city when a young man. He had suffered from consumption for a long time, and four years ago built a cottage at Colby Lake, going there to live. His health was much improved, and he returned to this

health was much improved, and he returned to this city. About two months ago he was advised by his physicians to go back to Colby Lake.

Mr. Fisher never held public office, yet he took much interest in political affairs and was a stanch Republican. He was a member of the Colonial Club, the Ohio Society, the Real-Estate Exchange and of St. Andrew's Methodist Episcopal Church. His city home was at No. 421 West End-ave, where his body will be brought to-day. Mr. Fisher leaves a widow. The funeral will take place from St. Andrew's Church, in Seventy-sixth-st., on Monday, Mr. Fisher's business will be continued by his former associates, William H. Peckham and Merritt L. Pike, under the name of Frank L. Fisher & Co.

JOSEPH M. SHOEMAKER.

Philadelphia, May 24 (Special) .- Joseph M. Shoemaker, the well-known banker and broker, died this morning at his home in Germantown. He had been in failing health for a short time, but it was not supposed that he was in any immediate danger until a couple of days ago, when his symptoms became alarming. Mr. Shoemaker was in his fortyeighth year. He was a son of Robert Shoemaker, of Robert Shoemaker & Co. He began his business career in the office of Jay Cooke & Co, and remained with the firm until its failure, in 1873. In December of that year Mr. Shoemaker & Co. He began his business career in the office of Jay Cooke & Co, and remained with the firm until its failure, in 1873. In As there are about three hundred applicants for eighth year. He was a son of Robert Shoemaker, the fourteen offices, Colonel Strong realizes that of Robert Shoemaker & Co. He began his business December of that year Mr. Shoemaker went into business for himself. George C. Thomas, who was a partner of Jay Cooke & Co., being associated with him under the firm name of Joseph M. Shoemaker & Co. Later, the firm became Thomas & Shoemaker, and so remained until 1883, when Thomas became a partner of Drexel & Co. Mr. Shoemaker then associated with him Robert M Janney, now president of the Stock Exchange, and Waiter Clark. The firm took the old name of Jo-seph M. Shoemaker & Co., which it still con-

seph M. Shoemaker & Co., which it inces.

Mr. Shoemaker was a member of both the Newyork and Philadelphia Stock Exchanges. He was
treasurer of the Germantown Hospital, a manager
of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction
of the Hilnd, and for many years a vestryman of
Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Germantown
He was also a director of the Germantown Real
Estate Deposit and Trust Company.

He leaves a widow, the daughter of Warwick P.
Miller, of Sandy Springs, Md.

SELECTIONS FROM THE MAIL.

THE TERRA-COTTA BUST OF SHAKESPEARE. To the Editor of The Tribuse.

Sir: In J. Parker Norris's "Portraits of Shake speare," the standard work on the subject, I find that Professor Owen, who received the "Davenant," or terra-cotta bust, from his father-in-law, William Clift, F. R. S., curator of the College of Surgeons, sold it to the Duke of Devonshire for 200 guineas. The Duke had two plaster casts made, one of which he gave to Sir Joseph Paxton. The original he presented in 1865 to the Garrick Club. original he presented in 1825 to the Garles Clob, King-st. London, where it remained when Mr. Norris wrote, in 1885. It seems probable that the bust presented by "the Rev. Mr. Owen, of Richmond, and Sir William Flower" is not the original, but one of the plaster casts therefrom, taken by order of the Duke of Devonshire, and that "The St. James's Budget" was in error in the interesting article lately quoted in The Tribune. CH. C. New-York, May 22, 1895.

FAR ROCKAWAY CITIZENS PLEASED. To the Editor of The Tribune.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: We were much pleased with the prominence given Far Rockaway in your Monday's issue. We think we have an attractive summer and winter resort, and entitled to rather more consideration than has been given us by New-York journals in the past. Aside from a few typographical errors that will creep into any article of the kind, and one or two other unimportant misstatements, the article was well written, true and interesting, and the subject of many favorable comments. We can take more of the same kind. Thank you.

Far Rockaway, May 22, 1835. S. R. SMITH.

BICYCLE RIDERS WITHOUT LAMPS. To the Editor of The Tribune.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: It seems to me a singular thing that Mr.

Do Witt should be obliged to subject himself to the
unpleasantness of public criticism in regard to his
efforts for public safety. It is a singular thing that efforts for public safety. It is a singular thing that any private individual should be forced by circumstances to do what he has done. Is there not a law that bicyclers shall carry lamps at night? If there is such a law, why do not the police enforce it without being pushed to it by a private individual? Or are we to suppose that the lampiess riders are joining the illustrious company of those of whom we have recently heard it said that they have found it profitable to give gifts to our friends who are supposed to enforce the laws? READER. New-York, May 21, 1895.

HOW NOT TO INVESTIGATE THE TURK. To the Editor of The Tribune.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: In view of the humiliating defeat of the New-York newspaper which, since December 19, 1894, has shown the interest of a criminal lawyer in the acquittal of the Ottoman Porte, we are disposed to be charitable and allow it the full benefit of any consolation it may extract from the report of the naval officer who had been cruising the Mediterranean coast of Asia Minor. We will, however, stand no more possense in the form of min Mediterranean coast of Asia Minor. We will, how-ever, stand no more nonsense in the form of mis-representation. The readers of The Tribune know that the American warships were dispatched to the Levant coast for the purpose of protecting Ameri-can citizens resident there from an outbreak of Moslem (Snaticism, which was thought to be immi-nent. The present Administration has not been entirely happy in the conduct of foreign relations; but certainly it has not been so foolish as to seek

information regarding the massacres in Armenis at the Turkish Embassy at Rome, as was done by the paper referred to, or to institute an investigation of them by a naval officer off the Levant coast, as is alleged by the same journal.

TIGRANE SUNI.

New-York, May 21, 1895.

AMERICANS ENTERTAINED IN PARIS. Paris, May 24.—A solrée given this evening by Mrs. Morse was among the successful functions of the Paris season. Among those present were Mrs. Howland, of New-York; Miss Dunfee, of San Francisco; Holman Black, of Boston, Miss Herbert, daughter of Secretary Herbert, of the Navy Department, accompanied by Admiral Benham and his daughter; Meredith Read and Newton Eustis; Second Secretary of the American Embassy.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

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win Fatterson Doremus, son of Elias O. a Doremus, aged 27 years. Funeral services at the residence of hi Washington-st., on Monday, May 27, at 2 arrival of 1:30 train from Harclay-st. MOALE-SPEYERS—On Thursday, May 23, of the Ascension, by the Mey. Percy S. M., daughter of the late Albert Speyers. Randle Moals, of Baltimore, Baltimore

BROWER-Entered into rest, on Wednesday, May 28,

BROWER-Entered into tax, or an orange of the control of Brower. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the services, which will be held Saturday afternoon, so clock, at his late residence, 270 Dean-st., Brown Y. Interment at Greenwood.

BURGESS-On Thursday, May 23, 1895, at 56 East st., William Montague, only son of N. G. and El M. Burgess, aged 55 years.

Interment at Woodlawn.

CARSON-On Friday, May 24, at the residence of he parents, 26 McDonough-st., Brooklyn, Dudley Kent, elect son of John H. and Eva Lovett Carson, in the 2 year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

Delaware and Philadelphia papers please copy.

GORMAN—On Tuesday, May 21, 1895, at his residence, 140 East 72d-at., John J. Gorman, in the 67th year of his

age, Funeral services will be held at the Fifth Avenue Pr terian Church, 5th-ave, and 55th-at, on Satarday, 25, at 1:30 p. m. It is requested that no flowers be sent. The officers and permanent members of the Grand Lodge are fraternally requested to attend the funeral service of the late R W. John J. Gorman, Past Grand Treasurer, at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, 5th-ave, and 55th-st., on Saturday afternoon, the 25th day of May, at 1:30 o'clock.

EDWARD M. L. EHLERS,
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EDWARD M. L. EHLERS, Grand Secretary.

JUDSON—At Staten Island, May 23, Jennette Hotchkiss, wilow of James Judson.

Relatives and friends of the family and of her daughter, Mrz. Mackay, are invited to attend the funeral from the Central Presbyterian Church, in West 57th-st., Sunday, May 26, at 4 p. m.

KOLB—On Friday, May 24, 1805, Marie Louise Kolb, nee Denicke, beloved wife of C. Gottlob Kolb.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 3,453 3dave., on Sunday, May 26, at 2 p. m.

GCULLOCH—At his country residence, Holly Hills, Prince Georges County, Maryland, on May 24, Hugh McCulloch, in the 57th year of his age.
Funeral services at Rock Creek Church, Washington, D.
C., on Monday, May 27, at 11 o'clock.

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MONTAGUE—On the 23d inst., Brainerd Montague, in the
first year of his age.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 25, at 4
p. m., at the home of his son, George Montague, 671
Jefferson-ave.
Interment in Woodlawn at the convenience of the family,
Middletown, Conn., papers please copy.

PALMER—At Somers, Westchester County, N. Y., Thurse
day afternoon, May 23, 1855, Walter Falmer, aged 76
years.

Funeral private.

STEESE—On Thursday, May 23, 1805, at No. 27 West 50th-st., Edwin Heaton Sicese, aged 5 months and 14 days, only child of Dr. Edwin Sturtevant and Maud Heaton Steese.

Funeral private.

Boston papers please copy.

TEETS—May 23, Louisa B. Teets, wife of Philip Teets, in the Soth year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence, 505 Manhattan-ave., corner 121stst., on Saturday, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Interment at Rahway, N. J.

YOUNGE-Entered into the control of the state of the control of

age, uneral services will be held at the residence of in-law, Mr. Charles D. Williams, 93 Court-st., N. J., on Menday, May 27, at 11:30 a. m. nterment in Greenwood Cemetery. The Kensico Cemetery, on the Harlem Railroad, have perfected plans for the floral decorations of lots and graves; choice plants can be obtained from their green-houses. Office, 16 East 424-st.

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